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The Soviet Consul General Kurdyukov has made a statement regarding the method by which Soviet citizenship may be relinquished. He stated that the turning in of passports is not sufficient and that permission must be obtained from Moscow. He further commented that the Soviets might not recognize the Chinese citizenship of so-called ex-Soviet citizens who did not receive permission from Moscow to relinquish their Soviet citizenship.

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██████████ Comment: It is not clear whether the above Soviet state-  
ment applies to a local move or whether it initiates a general Soviet  
policy. See ██████████ for information regarding methods of relinquish-  
ing Soviet citizenship in use as of 18 May 1948.

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